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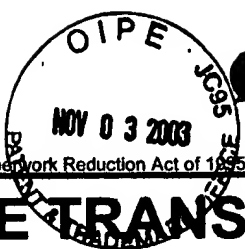
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☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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		1251	110	1251 110 Extension for reply within first month	
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		1253	950	1253 475 Extension for reply within third month	
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		1403	290	1403 145 Request for oral hearing.	
		1451	1,510	1451 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
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